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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 13, 19, 21 and 29.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed the claim terminology relating to "independent" processing as used in claims 1, 13, 21, & 29 and the term "intermediate" as used in claim 19. (re previously outstanding 35 USC §112 rejection). Attorney proposed to include clarifying comments re term "independent" and amendment of term "intermediate".

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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